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SUBJ: LOS: CALDERA ON VENEZUELAN POSITION: SINO- SOVIET

DISPUTE INVOLVES VENEZUELA

1. LOCAL PRESS MARCH 22 CARRIED NCNA ITEM FROM TOKYO WHEREIN
PRC CLAIMED USSR FISHING CRAFT HAVE CONSTANTLY VIOLATED TERRITORIAL
WATERS OF VENEZUELA AND OTHER WESTERN HEMISPHERE COUNTRIES.
ASKED ABOUT PRC DENUNCIATION DURING REGULAR WEEKLY PRESS
CONFERENCE SAME DAY, PRESIDENT CALDERA FLATLY DENIED ANY FOREIGN
VESSEL HAS ENTERED VENEZUELAN TERRITORIAL WATERS WITHOUT
PERMISSION.
SPECIFICALLY HE SAID NO SUCH SOVIET SHIPS HAVE SOUGHT PERMISSION
TO ENTER VENEZUELAN WATERS.

2. RELATING THIS QUESTION TO LOS CALDERA SAID POLICY CONCERNING
CARIBBEAN HAS SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE WITH REGARD TO PROTECTION OF
NATURAL RESOURCES. HE ADDED VENEZUELA DEFENDS THESIS OF
PATRIMONIAL SEA WITHIN WHICH, BUT BEYOND TERRITORIAL SEA,
CONTIGUOUS ZONE AND SUBMARINE PLATFORM, EXPLOITATION OF NATURAL
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RESOURCES BELONGS TO LITTORAL STATES. HE STATED VENEZUELA IN
INTERNATIONAL FISHING CONFERENCES HAS DEFENDED AND BACKED
POSITION THAT SMALL STATES HAVE FULL TITLE TO ASSURE BENEFITS
OF NATURAL RESOURCES TO THEIR POPULATION.
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